

## NEWSLETTER EXTRA

### HISTORY

2pm Caldicot Council Day Centre

- **15th February**, World War I - Recruitment, Uniform, Equipment, and home front support with Ray Parfitt
- **15th March**, Henry Jones, inventor of Self Raising Flour - with Peter Strong

### GARDENING :

**23rd February** Spaces are still available for the trip to Colesbourne Gardens, including tea/coffee on arrival, followed by Garden tour. Cost £28, leaving from the Bus Stop at Doctors Surgery, Caldicot.

### SHORT MAT BOWLS :

Have rejoined Monmouthshire League

- **17th February**, Home Match against Dingestow
- **28th February**, Away Match against Dingestow, 6.30pm start

### URGENT:

Convenors required for Science and Natural History and Art Groups. Can be shared between several people

### FORMAL AGM

#### NOTIFICATION:

The AGM will be held on Thursday, **16th March** at Caldicot Methodist Church at 2pm. We will also be entertained by Lorna Pearson, an accomplished comedienne and poet pedlar, who finished a successful run at the Dolman Theatre, Newport, in November, and is very busy rehearsing for her next performance there. Come along and enjoy an afternoon of amazing entertainment.

### DRAMA:

A Murder Mystery afternoon will be held on **24th March** at the Portskewett Recreational Hall, with a prompt start at 2pm. Admission charge of £5, with refreshments served in intermission. Tickets are available from any Drama group member. Come along and play amateur detective

### COFFEE MORNINGS:

Will re-start on **4th February** and held on the First Saturday Morning each month thereafter

### SPECIAL EVENTS

#### HOLIDAY:

Chatsworth House and High Peaks. **Monday, 24th July to Friday 28th**, £414 per person. Highlights are: Executive Coach Travel, 4 nights Dinner, Bed & Breakfast at Hollin House Hotel, Macclesfield, Entrance to Chatsworth House and Gardens, visit to Bakewell, famous for it's tart, steam train journey on the Peak Railway to explore charming Matlock Bath, discover the Northern Peaks as you travel over Snake Pass and a visit to the historic village of Eyam. A deposit of £60 is required when putting names forward. Cheques to be made out to Edwards Holidays and sent to Pam Caines. Only 3 more single rooms are available so will be allocated on a first served basis.

#### ANNOUNCEMENT:

It is with great sadness that we have to announce the passing of Graham Lockley, who was a member of the Amblers Walking Group

#### VACANCY:

We have a vacancy for Treasurer, if you are interested please express to a Committee Member.